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Dodie Smithers is 🥹 feeling sad.
February 17, 2019 · 🌐

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Our condolences to the family of Betty McClary who passed away yesterday. Betty was a long time resident of this community who was loved by many school children who went through the doors of Gilmanton School and are now adults with children of their own! She was one of the first to welcome me into this community over 40 years ago when I married a local Gilmanton boy! Her wake will be next Sunday at Wilkenson Beane in Laconia.



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Michelle Smithers Heyman
One of the kindest women. My thoughts are with her family ❤️





Mary Robinson

I love this woman so much
She was such a hoot and we loved sharing Roadrunners
Raspberry Ice Cream. RIP beautiful Betty
You are forever in my heart.❤️😭

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Kimberley Boutsianis Moderator

What a wonderful lady! So many great memories of her.
She impacted so many at school. She helped more of us
than people realize (we were young). Definately loved
and will be missed. xoxo

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Dave Dorsey

So sorry to hear this. Thoughts and condolences got out
to the whole family and all of her friends.

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Paula L Gilman

Beautiful photo of two beautiful people..... they will both
be missed.

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Eleanor Wilson

Such a part of Gilmanton's history🔴

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Dodie Smithers Author

I think her history goes back at least 6 generations
before her and she saw 3 more generations added in her
lifetime!

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Linda Faye Nazer

We are sad to hear this- Betty was a wonderful lady who
always had a smile to give to us- she always asked for
our kids even when they were long gone from the
elementary school.
Our sympathy and thoughts go out to her family❤️🌸

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Mark Sawyer

Sorry for your loss!

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Bruce Buster Morse



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Carol Locke

My deepest sympathy to her family! She was a wonderful
person!

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Donna Manning

Betty was a kind and sincere person and truly a gem in
Gilmanton. My condolences to her family and the
community.

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Scott Thompson


I went to gilmanton elementary back in the late 70s and
can still remember her smiling face. My condolences to
her family.

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Frank Partridge
RIP



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Rachel Hatch
She was always so kind to my children. She was truly a blessing to our town and school

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Dian W. Stacey
RIP Betty, a beautiful and kind lady!❤️

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Susan Roberts
Frank and Brenda, so sorry for your loss. Neil and sue

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Jessica Finethy
Courtney Waterman

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Linda Gundel
So sorry to hear this news. Betty was a welcoming face to our children as well as to Mike and me when we moved in "from away" in the 80's . Such a sweet lady! We were all better for her presence in our lives. 😭

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Marilyn Willard Parente
She was a very sweet lady ❤️

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Lynn Carey
So sorry to hear this. She was a sweetheart. She will be missed.

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Nancy Potter
She was a wonderful lady.. God bless the family..

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Mark Warren
She will be missed!!!

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Kim Stone
So sorry to hear of Betty's passing 😭 I have so many great memories of her at the Gilmanton school

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Virginia D Hiltz
She always greeted me with a smile and we reminsced about children that we knew. She will be missed by all that knew her.
Sending condolences to her Family and prayers of comfort.

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Brenda Currier
Thank you everyone for all of your thoughtful messages

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Ann Venezia Magee
So sorry Brenda. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

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Lisa Robinson
Betty and Joe, great neighbors. So sorry Brenda and Brett.

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Brenda Currier
thank you Lisa

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Nancy Hunter Rowley



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Brenda Currier
thank you Nancy



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Victoria Rose LaVohn
Praying for her family and loved ones



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Anne Harris Onion
We will always be grateful for how Betty and Joe welcomed us into our next-door project of a house in 1975 and stayed in touch with our growing family over the years. They were wonderful neighbors. Our condolences to all in her family.



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Brenda Currier
They appreciated having you as their neighbors



Like Reply 3y Edited



Anne Harris Onion
Thank you, Brenda.



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Gail Tardif-Hawkins
This is exactly how I will always remember them.



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Lori Glum Baldwin
So sorry to hear this. Betty was so kind and loving to all of us kids at the elementary school. Godspeed Betty



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Linda Bailey Bolton
My prayers are with you and your family!



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